



Read it yourself with Ladybird

# Little Red Riding Hood



Level

2











# Note to parents, carers and teachers

*Read it yourself* is a series of modern stories, favourite characters and traditional tales written in a simple way for children who are learning to read. The books can be read independently or as part of a guided reading session.

Each book is carefully structured to include many high-frequency words vital for first reading. The sentences on each page are supported closely by pictures to help with understanding, and to offer lively details to talk about.

The books are graded into four levels that progressively introduce wider vocabulary and longer stories as a reader's ability and confidence grows.

## Ideas for use

- Begin by looking through the book and talking about the pictures. Has your child heard this story before?
- Help your child with any words he does not know, either by helping him to sound them out or supplying them yourself.
- Developing readers can be concentrating so hard on the words that they sometimes don't fully grasp the meaning of what they're reading. Answering the puzzle questions on pages 30 and 31 will help with understanding.

*For more information and advice on Read it yourself and book banding, visit [www.ladybird.com/readityourself](http://www.ladybird.com/readityourself)*

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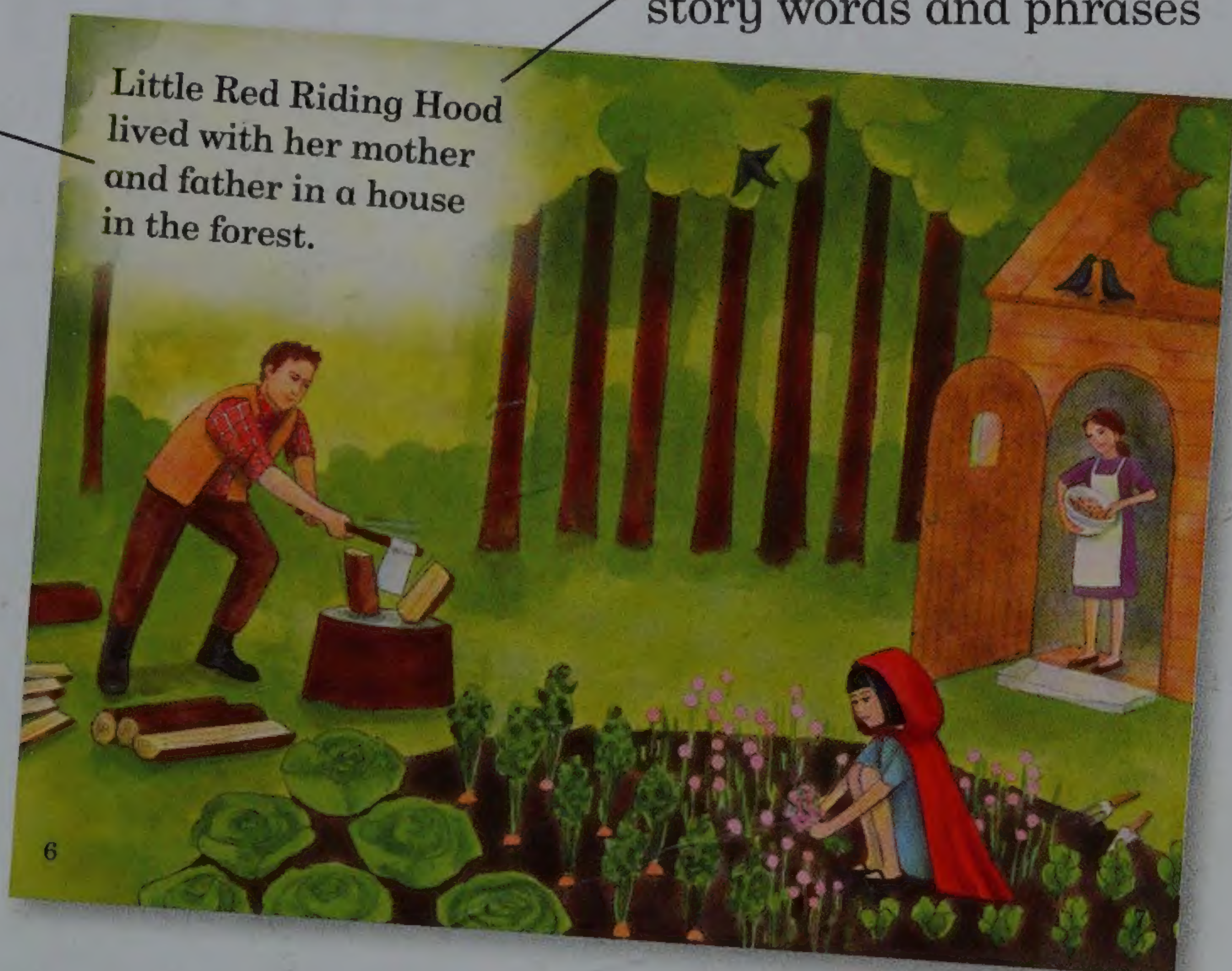


Level 2 is ideal for children who have received some reading instruction and can read short, simple sentences with help.

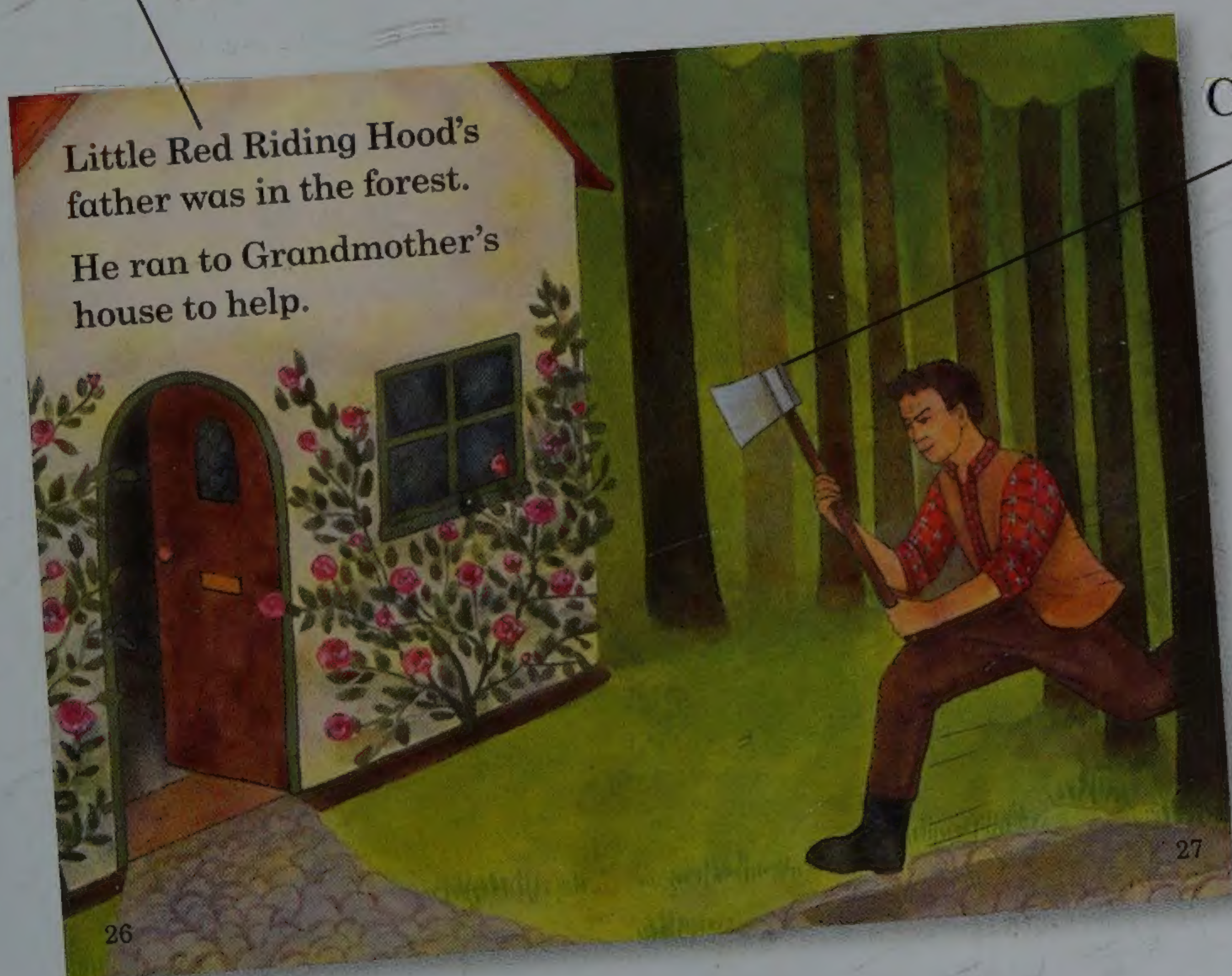
## Special features:

Frequent repetition of main story words and phrases

Short, simple sentences



Large, clear type



Careful match between story and pictures



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# Little Red Riding Hood



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Little Red Riding Hood  
lived with her mother  
and father in a house  
in the forest.



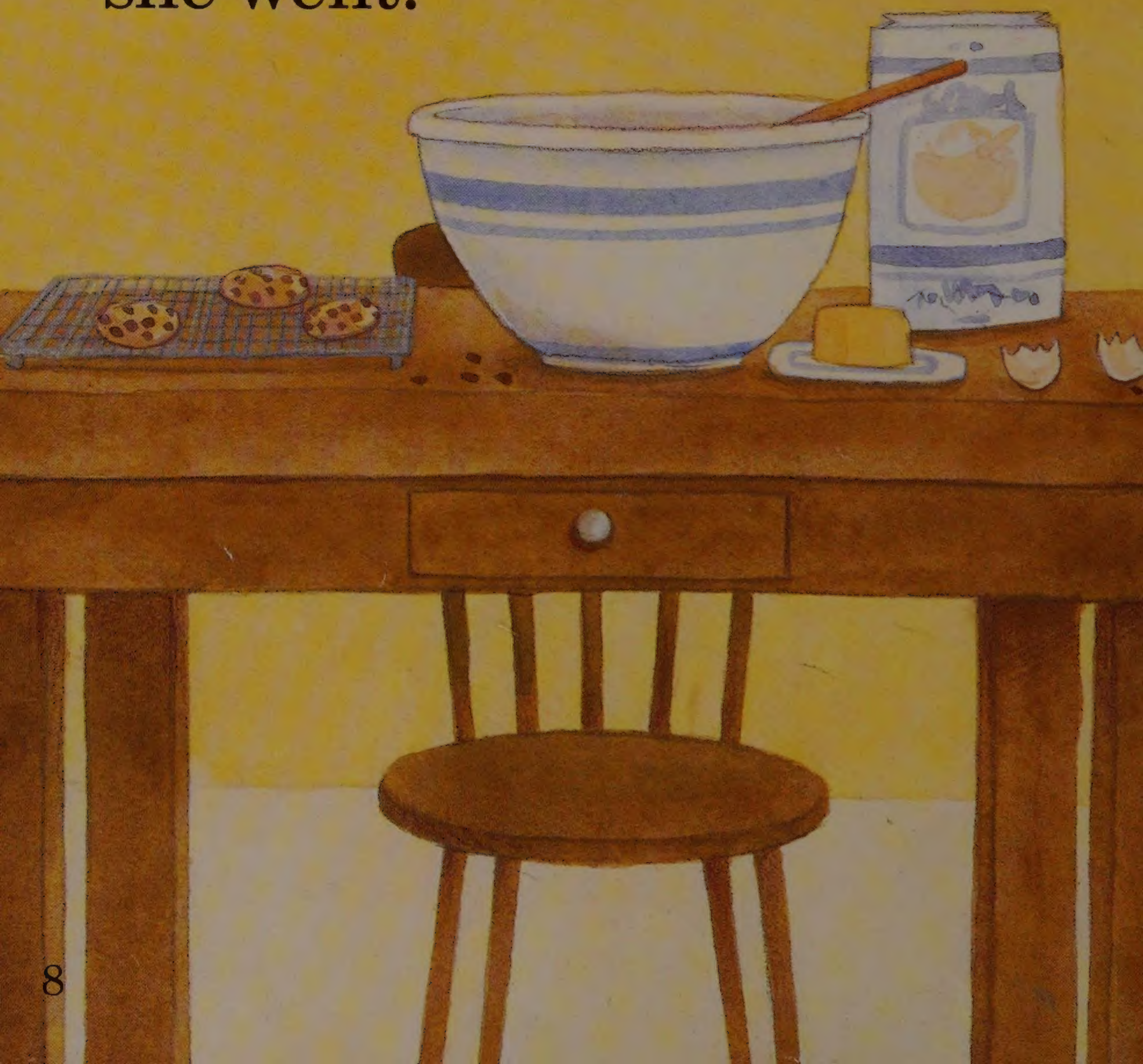






One day, Little Red Riding Hood's mother said, "Will you take these cakes to Grandmother?"

"Yes," said Little Red Riding Hood, and off she went.









Grandmother's house  
was on the other side of  
the forest. A wolf lived  
in the forest.










When the wolf saw Little  
Red Riding Hood he said,  
“I will eat her all up!”  
He ran to Grandmother’s  
house.









A soft-focus illustration of a forest. A light-colored, winding path leads from the bottom left towards the center. Tall, thin trees with green foliage are visible in the background, slightly out of focus. The overall color palette is muted greens and browns.

Little Red Riding Hood  
knocked on her  
grandmother's door.

“Come in,” said  
a funny voice.







Little Red Riding Hood  
went in the house.

“Come closer, my dear,”  
said the funny voice.









“Oh, Grandmother,” said  
Little Red Riding Hood.

“What big ears you have!”

“All the better to hear you  
with, my dear,” said the  
funny voice. “Come closer.”









“Oh, Grandmother,” said  
Little Red Riding Hood.

“What big eyes you have!”

“All the better to see  
you with, my dear,”  
said the funny voice.

“Come closer.”









“Oh, Grandmother,” said  
Little Red Riding Hood.  
“What big teeth you have!”  
“All the better to eat you  
with!” cried the wolf.









The wolf jumped up  
and chased Little Red  
Riding Hood round and  
round the house.

“Help!” cried Little Red  
Riding Hood.









Little Red Riding Hood's  
father was in the forest.  
He ran to Grandmother's  
house to help.









The wolf jumped up  
when he saw Little Red  
Riding Hood's father.

Then he ran and ran  
and was never seen in  
the forest again.









How much do you remember about the story of Little Red Riding Hood? Answer these questions and find out!

- Where is Little Red Riding Hood going?
- Who sees her in the forest?
- Who is the wolf pretending to be?
- Who rescues Little Red Riding Hood and Grandmother?





Look at the pictures and match them  
to the story words.

# Grandmother Little Red Riding Hood

forest

wolf

father



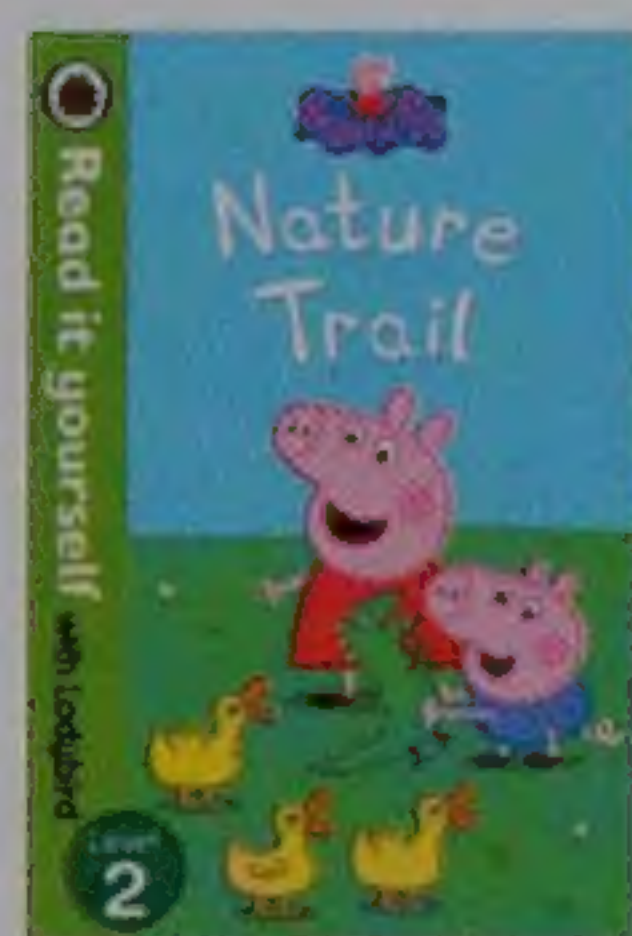
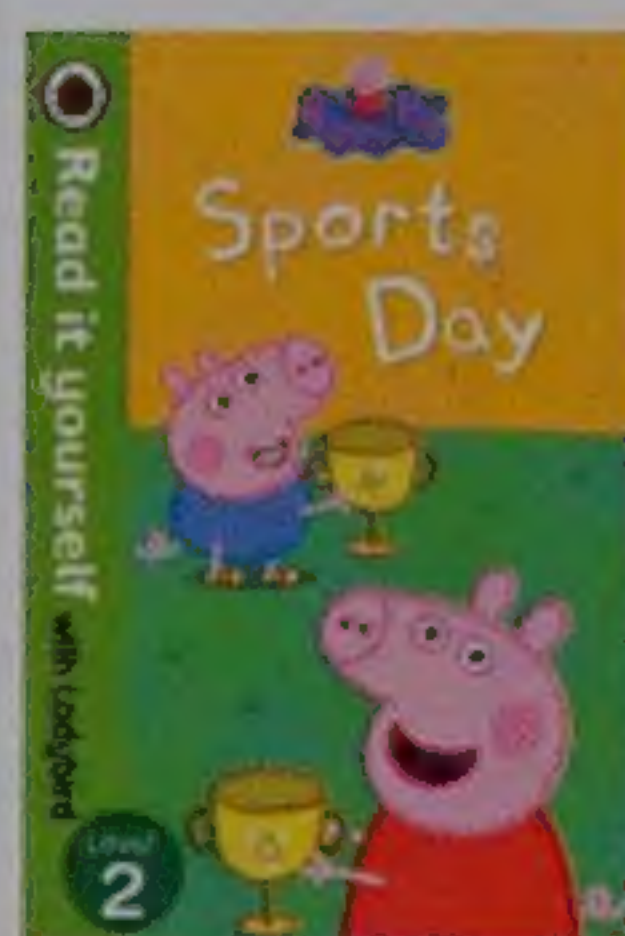


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Tick the books you've read!

For beginner readers who can read short, simple sentences with help.

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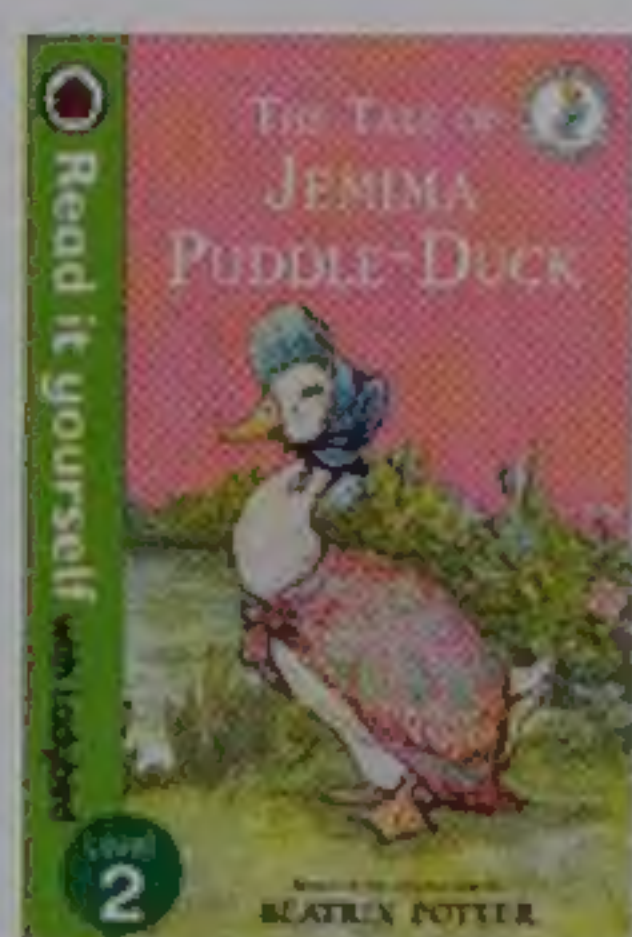

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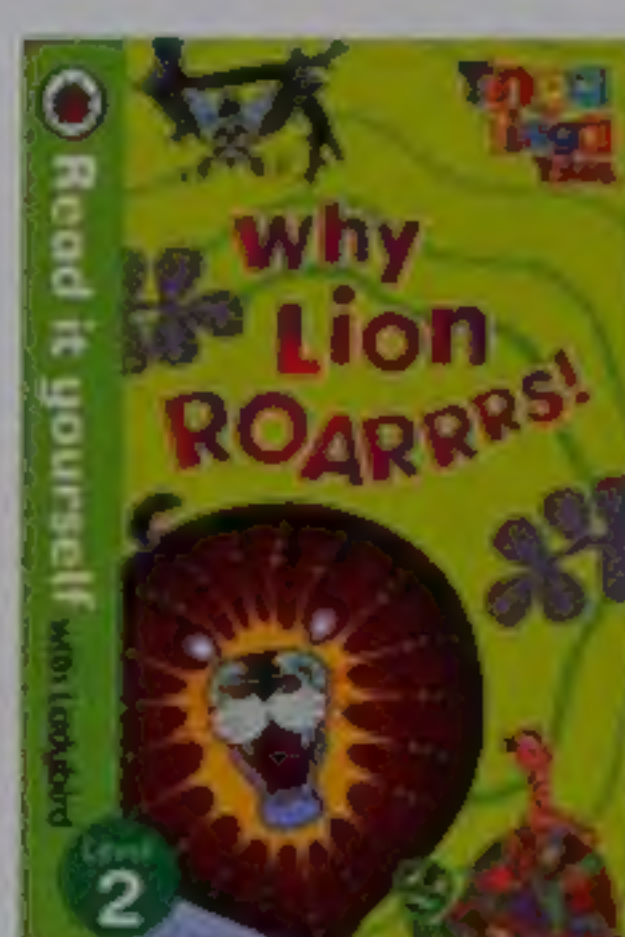
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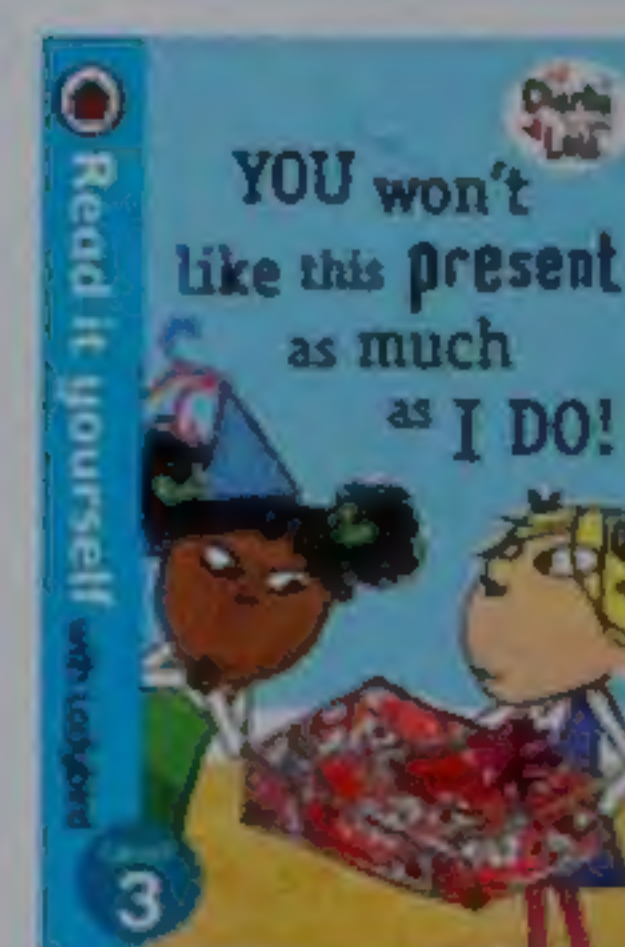
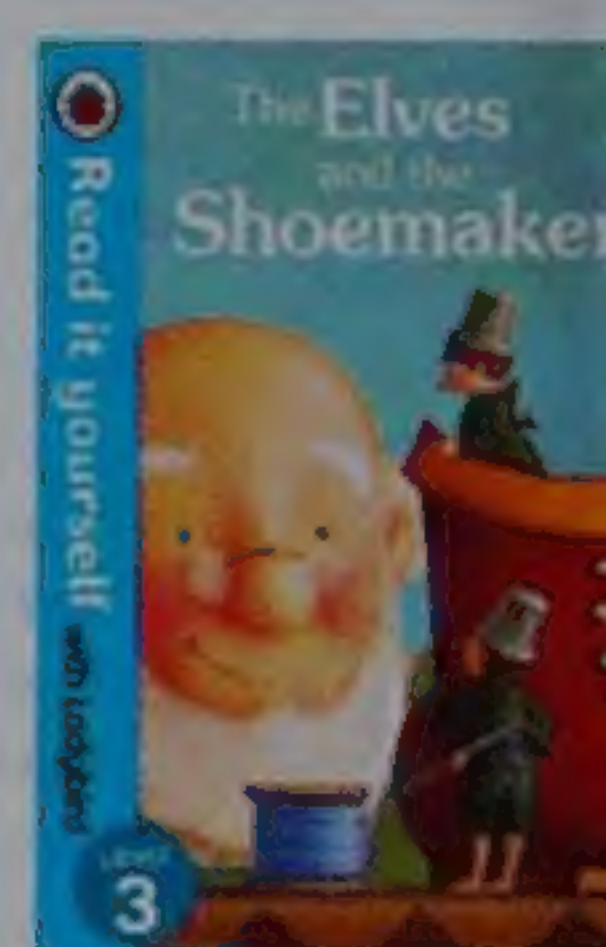
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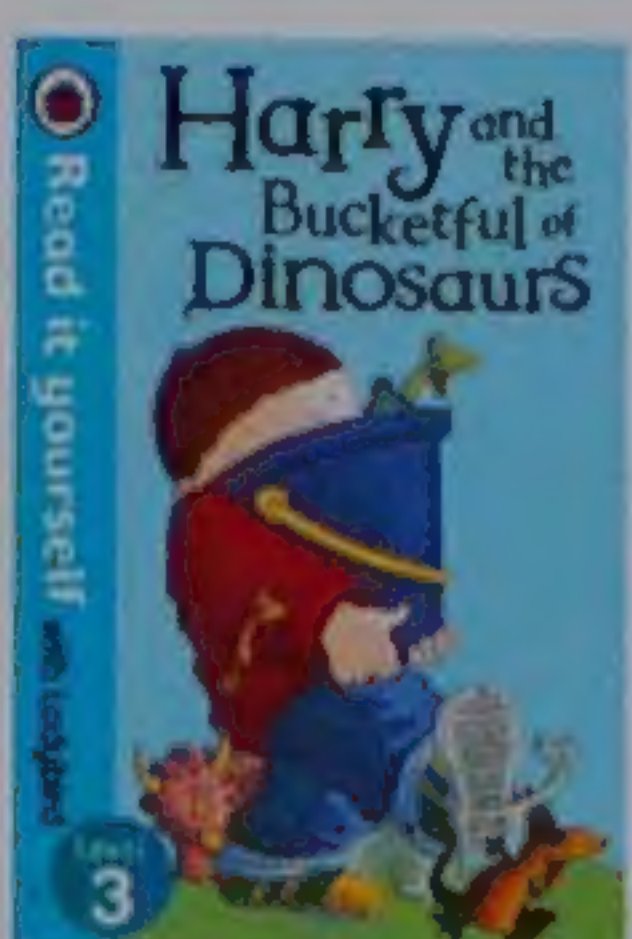
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For more confident readers who can read simple stories with help.

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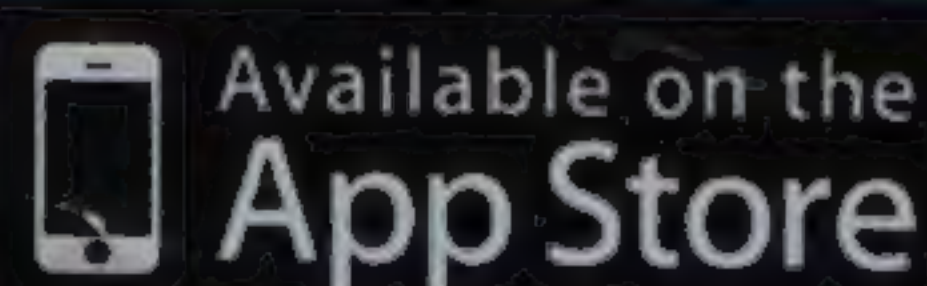
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App also available on Android devices









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Little Red Riding Hood gets a surprise when she goes to visit her grandmother – who now seems to have very BIG teeth!

Read it yourself is a series of character stories and traditional tales, written in a simple way for children who are learning to read.

## Level 1

For children who are ready to take their first steps in reading.

For beginner readers who can read short, simple sentences with help.

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## Level 3

For more confident readers who can read simple stories with help.

## Level 4

Longer stories for more independent, fluent readers.

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